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OF COPOLYMER 1

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO DECEMBER 30, 2002 OFFICE ACTION, PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND FOURTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)(2)

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the December 30, 2002 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the December 30, 2002 Office Action is due March 30, 2003. Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time from March 30, 2003 to April 30, 2003. The fee for a one-month extension of time is \$110.00 and a check including this amount is enclosed. Therefore, a response to the December 30, 2002 Office Action is now due April 30, 2003 and this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 is enclosed.

No additional fee is required, other than the enclosed \$110.00 for the one-month extension of time and the \$180.00 for the Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure The filing fee is calculated as follows: Statement.

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Respectfully submitted,

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited this date with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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